REMARKS

In view of the above amendments and the following remarks, reconsideration of the outstanding office action is respectfully requested.

The rejection of claims 1-13 under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as unpatentable over claims 1-4, 7, 22, 25, 26, 36, 40-43, and 59-67 of U.S. Patent No. 6,627,633 to Trova is respectfully traversed in view of the attached terminal disclaimer.

The provisional rejection of claims 1-13 under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as unpatentable over claims 1, 3, 5, 11, 16-18, and 29-33 of copending U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/950,549 to Trova is respectfully traversed in view of the attached terminal disclaimer.

The objection to claim 13 is respectfully traversed in view of the above amendments.

In view of all of the foregoing, applicant submits that this case is in condition for allowance and such allowance is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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